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Heloise A. Beebe House

Chattalonnee Hill Road, Owings Mills, Md. 21117

Private Residence

The Heloise A. Beebe House is a frame structure two storys is height with a gable roof. It was built in 1926 and is an example of the American colonial revival which commenced with the Centennial Exhibition of 1876, increased in popularity in the early twentieth century and received an added boost toward authenticity in the late 1920's with the restoration of Williamsburg, Virginia.

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC

Heloise A. Beebe House

AND/OR COMMON

Howard House

**2 LOCATION**

STREET & NUMBER

309 Chattolane Hill Road

CITY, TOWN

Owings Mills VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

District 3

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Baltimore

**3 CLASSIFICATION**

**CATEGORY**

☐ DISTRICT  
☒ BUILDING(S)  
☐ STRUCTURE  
☐ SITE  
☐ OBJECT

**OWNERSHIP**

☐ PUBLIC  
☒ PRIVATE  
☐ BOTH

**PUBLIC ACQUISITION**

☐ IN PROCESS  
☐ BEING CONSIDERED

**STATUS**

☒ OCCUPIED  
☐ UNOCCUPIED  
☐ WORK IN PROGRESS  
**ACCESSIBLE**  
☒ YES: RESTRICTED  
☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED  
☐ NO

**PRESENT USE**

☐ AGRICULTURE  
☐ COMMERCIAL  
☐ EDUCATIONAL  
☐ ENTERTAINMENT  
☐ GOVERNMENT  
☐ INDUSTRIAL  
☐ MILITARY  
☐ MUSEUM  
☐ PARK  
☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE  
☐ RELIGIOUS  
☐ SCIENTIFIC  
☐ TRANSPORTATION  
☐ OTHER:

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

W. James Howard

STREET & NUMBER

Chattolane Hiss Road

CITY, TOWN

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Tax Map: 68  
Parcel: 332  
Telephone #:

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE,  
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

County Courts Building

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

Towson

STATE

Md.

Liber #: 4672  
Folio #: 449

**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR  
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

## CONDITION

☒ EXCELLENT  
☐ GOOD  
☐ FAIR

☐ DETERIORATED  
☐ RUINS  
☐ UNEXPOSED

## CHECK ONE

☐ UNALTERED  
☒ ALTERED

## CHECK ONE

☒ ORIGINAL SITE  
☐ MOVED DATE \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

## Description

Built in 1926 the HOWARD HOUSE is a frame house, five bays in length, two storeys in height, with a gabled roof; its principal facade is to the south although the north is the entrance facade. A one and one-half storey wing is at the east end; joined to its east end via a hyphen is a one-storey wing formerly a free-standing garage north of the house. A two-storey wing is at the west end containing a porch in the first storey, a sun-porch in the second which is supported by Tuscan columns. A small Tuscan porch shelters the south door and one of ornamental cast-iron shelters the north door in a projecting bay. The roofs are covered with slate and three dormers with 6/6 windows are in each slope.

A center hall containing an open stair to the third floor extends through the house and a single room is on either side; the east room (dining room) is shortened to allow a pantry at its north end and the kitchen is in the east wing. Interior detailing recalls a ca. 1800 American period with a slim moulded mahogany handrail on the staircase supported by slim turned newels and rectangular balusters rising above scrolled step ends. Mantels of the two principal rooms recall Adamesque designs with paneled pilasters supporting an ornamental entablature. In the living room the architrave has carved recessed rosettes alternating with stop-fluting while the frieze has swags and rosettes with plain end and center blocks; the fluted dentils have three stacked beads between them. The dining room mantel is similar but simpler with figurines in the end and center blocks.

In the one-storey east wing, connected via a hyphen, is a library having paneled doors with two-plane architraves, paneled chimney breast and architrave fireplace surround, all fully raised, removed many years ago from an unknown eighteenth century house.

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# **8 SIGNIFICANCE**

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AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW

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| <input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC      | <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING     | <input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE | <input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499        | <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC    | <input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION           | <input type="checkbox"/> LAW                    | <input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE             |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699        | <input type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE           | <input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION              | <input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY               | <input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799        | <input type="checkbox"/> ART                    | <input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING            | <input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC                  | <input type="checkbox"/> THEATER             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899        | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE               | <input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT | <input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY             | <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION      |
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|   |   | <input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION              |   |  |

SPECIFIC DATES

1926

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

## **Significance**

Dating from 1926 the HOWARD HOUSE is an example of the American colonial revival which commenced with the Centennial Exhibition of 1876, increased in popularity in the early twentieth century and received an added boost toward authenticity in the late 1920s with the restoration of Williamsburg, Virginia.

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**9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

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**10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY \_\_\_\_\_

## VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

See title search, attached

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

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COUNTY

**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

NAME / TITLE

James T. Wollon, Jr., Darlene Owings Schultz

ORGANIZATION

The Valleys Planning Council

DATE

7/11/79

STREET &amp; NUMBER

212 Washington Ave.

TELEPHONE

CITY OR TOWN

Towson

STATE

Md.

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

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RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust  
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401  
(301) 267-1438

Heloise A. Beebe House  
TITLE SEARCH  
( Howard House )

Tax Map 68, Parcel 332

<u>Liber</u>	<u>Folio</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Grantor</u>	<u>Grantee</u>
4672	449	Sept 15, 1966	Charles L. Randol	W. James Howard
Beginning in the center of a road 20' wide 13.7' from a stone on the East side of the road, containing 3.4 acres.				
2655	7	Feb. 21, 1955	Arthur C. Omberg	Charles L. Randol
1389	361	May 14, 1945	Andrew G. Carey	Arthur C. Omberg
1137	125	Jan 23, 1941	Eben J. D. Cross	Andrew G. Carey
1137	122	Jan. 23, 1941	Andrew G. Carey	Eben J. D. Cross
1001	556	July 2, 1937	Heloise A. Beebe	Andrew G. Carey
625	251	Oct. 31, 1925	T. Dudley Riggs, Jr.	Heloise A. Beebe
Containing 8.61 acres				
569	89	Jan. 29, 1923	Walter Dawkins	T. Dudley Riggs etal
Walter Dawkins, trustee of the estate of William H. Minch by Will HWJ 142/218				
48	178	Sept 30, 1865	Willaim A. Fisher	Samuel S. Clayton



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